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Propagation Delay Compensation )  
for Improving Linearity and )  
Maximum Frequency )

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- 1) Shakiba M. H. et al., "Automatic Swing Control in Relaxation Oscillators," IEEE Inc. New York, US, Vol. 33, No. 12, Dec. 1998, pp. 1979-1986, (8 pages).

U.S. Patent No. 5,497,127, DE 43 409 24, JP 07038388 and the Shakiba article were cited in an International Search Report (copy enclosed) and/or a International Preliminary Examination Report (copy enclosed) for corresponding application PCT/SG03/00137 filed Jun. 3, 2003.

An English language abstract for JP 07038388 is enclosed along with a machine translation of DE 43 409 24.

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